

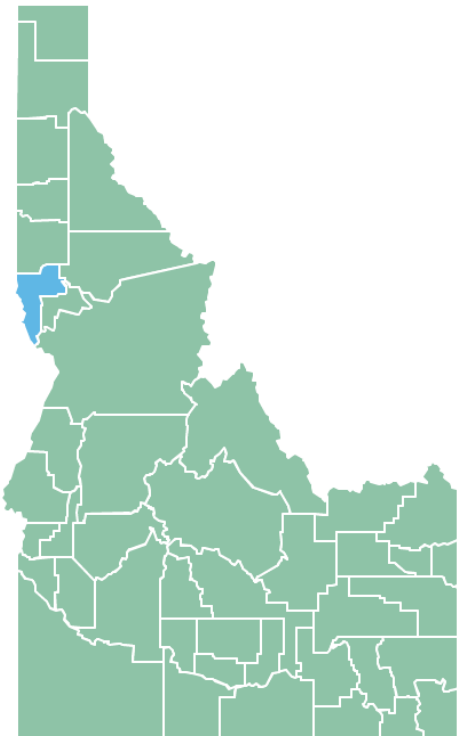


# Nez Perce County Labor Force And Economic Profile

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## Nez Perce County Economic Overview

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Civilian Labor Force (Mar 2022)   | 21,549   |
| Unemployment Rate (Mar 2022)      | 2.2%     |
| Population (2020)                 | 42,454   |
| Median Household Income (2019)    | \$57,099 |
| Per Capita Personal Income (2020) | \$50,550 |
| Poverty Rate (2019)               | 13.1%    |



## 1. County Demographic Characteristics, 2019

|  | Nez Perce<br>County | Nez Perce<br>County (%) | State of<br>Idaho (%) | United<br>States (%) |
|--|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Total Population</b>                                      | 40,468              | 100.0%                  | 3,508,734             | 326,569,308          |
| <b>Race and Ethnicity</b>                                    |                     |                         |                       |                      |
| White alone, not hispanic                                    | 35,052              | 86.6%                   | 81.4%                 | 60.1%                |
| Black or African American alone, not hispanic                | 23                  | 0.1%                    | 0.6%                  | 12.2%                |
| Native American alone, not hispanic                          | 2,332               | 5.8%                    | 1.1%                  | 0.6%                 |
| Asian alone, not hispanic                                    | 329                 | 0.8%                    | 1.3%                  | 5.6%                 |
| Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)                            | 1,721               | 4.3%                    | 12.7%                 | 18.2%                |
| <b>Gender</b>  |                     |                         |                       |                      |
| Male   | 20,028              | 49.5%                   | 50.1%                 | 49.2%                |
| Female   | 20,440              | 50.5%                   | 49.9%                 | 50.8%                |
| <b>Age</b>   |                     |                         |                       |                      |
| Median age   | 40.4                | -                       | 40.5                  | 38.2                 |
| Under 18 years   | 8,586               | 21.2%                   | 25.3%                 | 22.4%                |
| Over 18 years  | 31,882              | 78.8%                   | 74.7%                 | 77.6%                |
| 21 years and over  | 30,473              | 75.3%                   | 70.6%                 | 73.5%                |
| Over 65 years  | 8,014               | 19.8%                   | 15.8%                 | 16.0%                |
| <b>Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)</b> |                     |                         |                       |                      |
| Less than 9th grade  | 521                 | 1.3%                    | 2.0%                  | 3.3%                 |
| High school graduate (with equivalencies)                    | 8,694               | 21.5%                   | 17.4%                 | 18.2%                |
| Some college, no degree                                      | 7,505               | 18.5%                   | 17.0%                 | 13.9%                |
| Associate's degree   | 3,189               | 7.9%                    | 6.4%                  | 5.9%                 |
| Bachelor's degree  | 4,820               | 11.9%                   | 12.6%                 | 13.8%                |
| Graduate or professional degree                              | 1,999               | 4.9%                    | 6.1%                  | 8.7%                 |
| <b>Median Household Income</b>                               | \$57,099            | -                       | \$59,084              | \$64,994             |

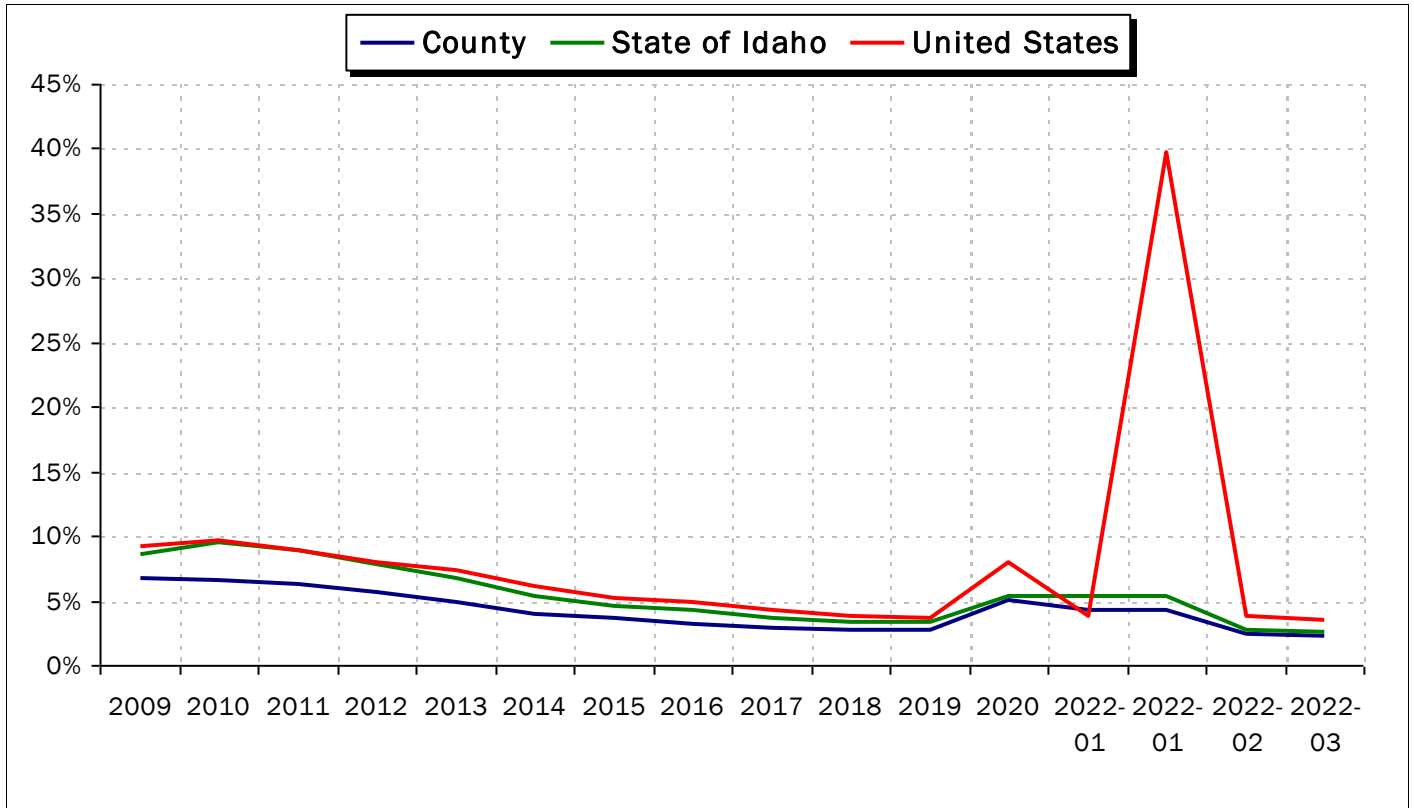
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates

## 2. Labor Force

|                   | Labor Force | Employment | Unemployed | Unemployment Rate |
|-------------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| <b>March 2022</b> | 21,549      | 21,067     | 482        | 2.2%              |
| <b>March 2021</b> | 20,937      | 20,204     | 733        | 3.5%              |

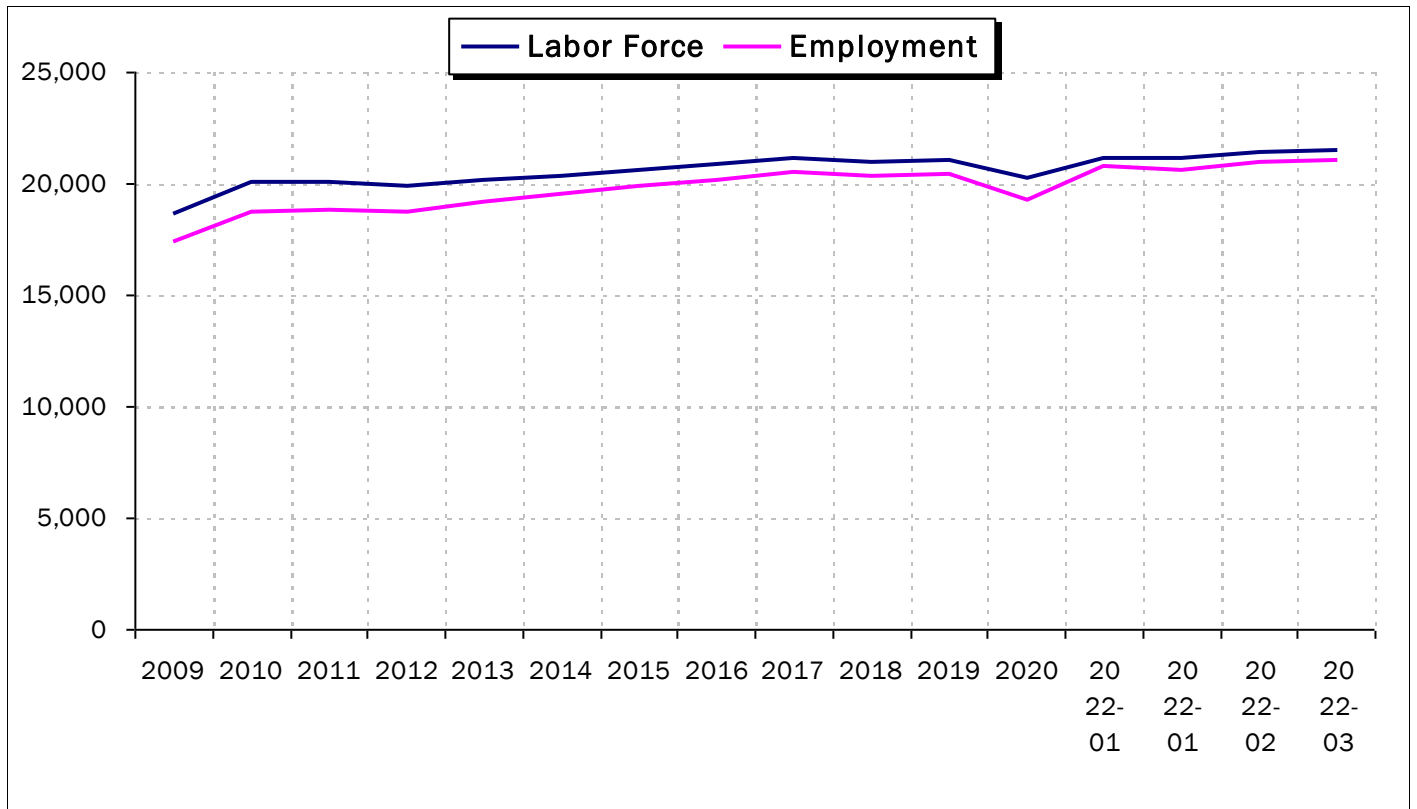
Source: Idaho Department of Labor

### 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

### 4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

## 5. Industry Employment and Wages - 2010, 2019 and 2020

| Supersector                         | 2010               |               | 2019               |               | 2020               |               |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
|                                     | Average Employment | Average Wages | Average Employment | Average Wages | Average Employment | Average Wages |
| Total Covered Wages                 | 20,001             | \$35,005      | 20,944             | \$20,382      | 20,764             | \$47,536      |
| Natural Resources and Mining        | 293                | \$48,550      | 280                | \$268         | 250                | \$65,898      |
| Construction                        | 676                | \$40,154      | 959                | \$956         | 985                | \$49,137      |
| Manufacturing                       | 2,736              | \$49,863      | 3,369              | \$3,578       | 3,844              | \$63,653      |
| Trade,Transportation, and Utilities | 3,940              | \$30,019      | 3,847              | \$3,726       | 3,828              | \$43,236      |
| Information                         | 362                | \$27,423      | 393                | \$357         | 340                | \$45,420      |
| Financial Activities                | 1,402              | \$39,336      | 1,216              | \$1,245       | 1,159              | \$70,016      |
| Professional and Business Services  | 1,182              | \$49,205      | 1,002              | \$962         | 973                | \$41,060      |
| Education and Health Services       | 5,128              | \$33,307      | 5,409              | \$5,004       | 4,890              | \$46,276      |
| Leisure and Hospitality             | 2,114              | \$14,794      | 2,240              | \$2,070       | 2,261              | \$20,744      |
| Other Services                      | 545                | \$24,508      | 570                | \$551         | 590                | \$30,971      |
| Public Administration               | 1,615              | \$40,470      | 1,651              | \$1,658       | 1,636              | \$51,322      |

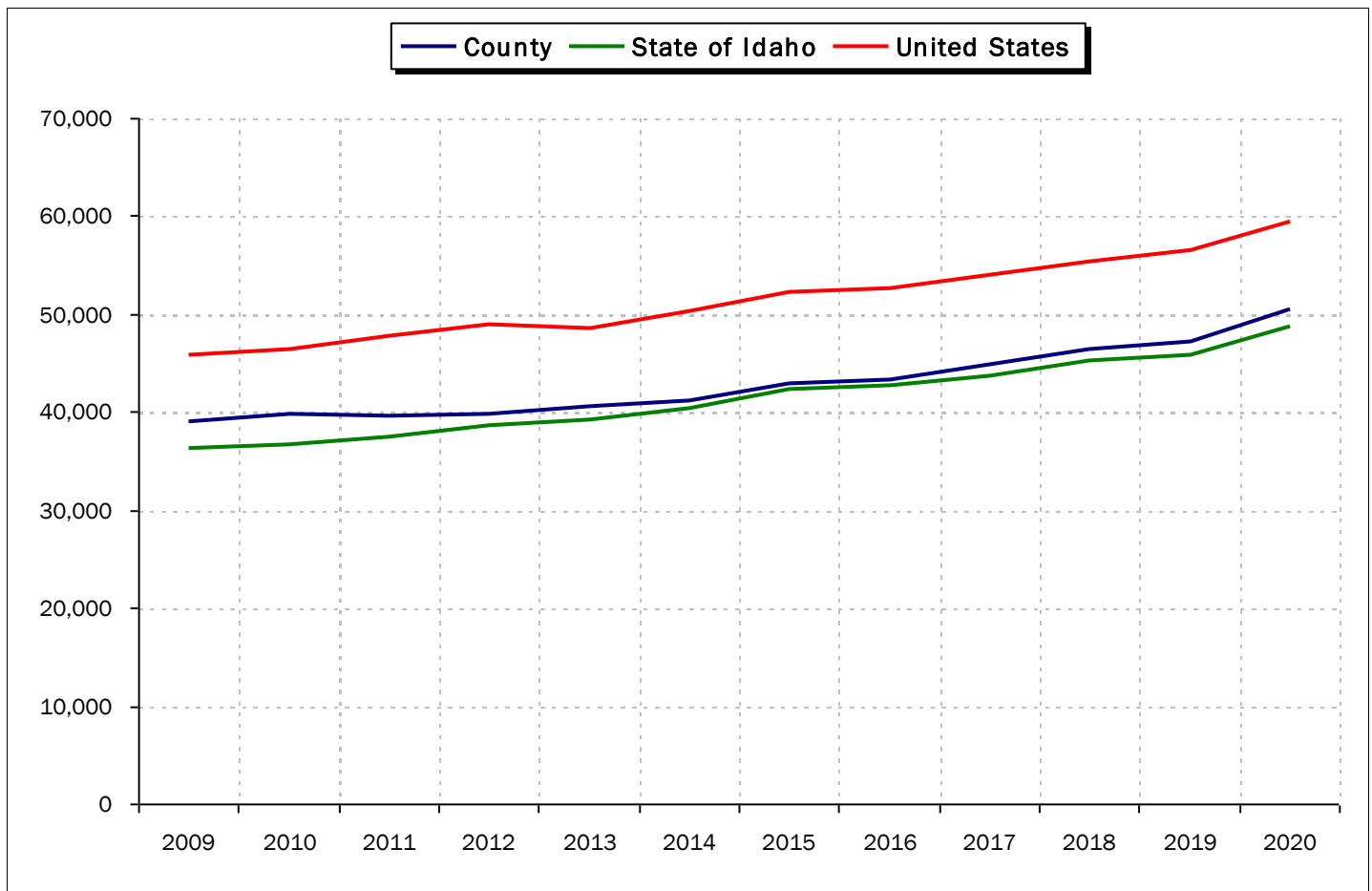
Source: Idaho Department of Labor

## 6. Top Employers, 2020

| Employer                             | Ownership | Range     |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Federal Cartridge Company            | Private   | 1,000+    |
| Clearwater Paper Corporation         | Private   | 1,000+    |
| Lewiston Independent School District | Local Gov | 500 - 999 |
| Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories  | Private   | 500 - 999 |
| Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee | Private   | 500 - 999 |
| Taco Time                            | State Gov | 250 - 499 |
| State Of Idaho - Lewis-clark State   | Local Gov | 250 - 499 |
| City Of Lewiston                     | Private   | 250 - 499 |
| Nez Perce County                     | Private   | 250 - 499 |
| Catalyst Medical Group PLLC          | Local Gov | 250 - 499 |

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor

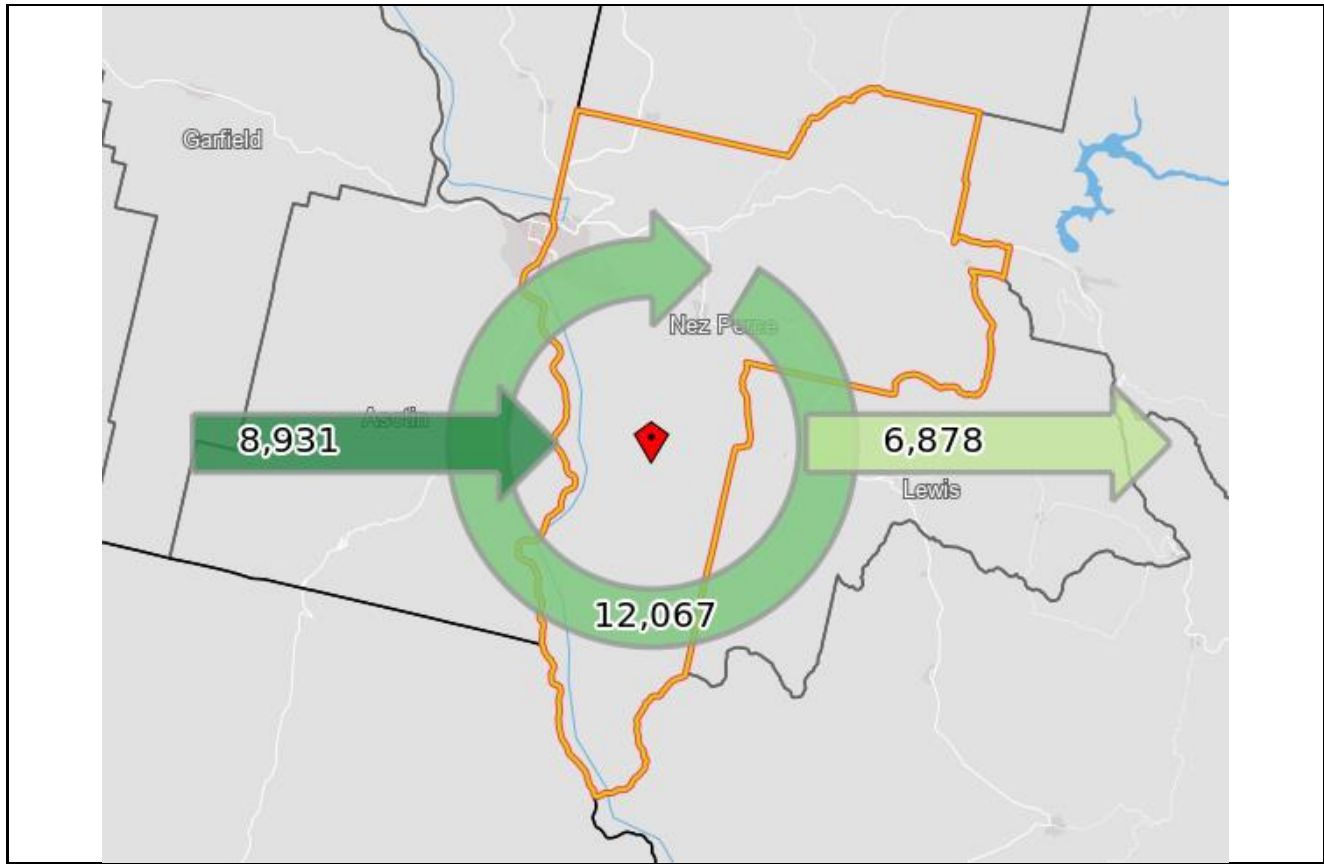
## 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2009 - 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2019

It is estimated that 12,067 workers lived and worked in Nez Perce County in 2019. Another 8,931 workers were employed in Nez Perce County but lived outside, while 6,878 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

## 9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Nez Perce County Live, 2019

| City of Residence               | All Jobs | Percentage |
|---------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Lewiston                        | 10,169   | 48.4%      |
| Clarkston , WA                  | 1,310    | 6.2%       |
| Clarkston Heights-Vineland , WA | 1,071    | 5.1%       |
| West Clarkston-Highland , WA    | 961      | 4.6%       |
| Moscow                          | 498      | 2.4%       |
| Lapwai                          | 252      | 1.2%       |
| Boise City                      | 177      | 0.8%       |
| Asotin , WA                     | 174      | 0.8%       |
| Pullman , WA                    | 153      | 0.7%       |
| Orofino                         | 141      | 0.7%       |

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

**10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Nez Perce County Work, 2019**

| City of Employment           | All Jobs | Percentage |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Lewiston                     | 9,999    | 52.8%      |
| Clarkston , WA               | 1,321    | 7.0%       |
| Moscow                       | 626      | 3.3%       |
| Lapwai                       | 444      | 2.3%       |
| Pullman , WA                 | 442      | 2.3%       |
| Coeur d'Alene                | 395      | 2.1%       |
| Boise City                   | 357      | 1.9%       |
| Spokane Valley , WA          | 194      | 1.0%       |
| West Clarkston-Highland , WA | 192      | 1.0%       |
| Orofino                      | 173      | 0.9%       |

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